

Distribution Report

Monthly Report

March 2014

Broken water mains slowed way down in March we had only four. Nelson electric finished tying the new electric lines together to the shop, #1 well house and the cold storage building. We were able to remove two of the old utility poles from the yard which will allow us to replace two 12 inch valves from #4 well house. We are also updating #1 well house. The meter being replaced has-been in service for twenty-two years and isn't reading accurately. We are also removing it from the meter pit and re-piping it in the well house, as well as installing a new eight inch gate valve. We loaded out two hydrants this month, rebuilt six hydrants that have been in our system between fifty to sixty years. All of these hydrants still had their original parts, and in my experience working for the Marion Water Department these hydrants have provided the lowest cost of ownership of any major manufacturer. We also had to dig up and replace a complete hydrant that the city hit this winter and broke the barrel of the hydrant.

In addition we also did the following:

Fixed water leaks

- 1175 Mitchell dr
- 495 Hilltop dr
- 1360 A ave
- 2590 12th ave

Hydrant maintenance: 8

Service orders: 28

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